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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)Docket No.
(MM) 53 928

In Re Application Of: Brodbeck

Application No. 09/551,252	Filing Date 04/18/2000	Examiner Clark Dexter	Customer No. 000066997	Group Art Unit 3724	Confirmation No. 1754
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Invention: Apparatus for Cutting Tubes

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 07/28/2008 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: 10/28/2008
Date

until: 01/28/2009

01/29/2009 HARRZ11 0000003 09551252

555.00 DP

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 02 FC:2253

The fee for the extension of time is \$555 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.
☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.
☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

M. Robert Kestenbaum
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Dated: 01/28/2009

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